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Serial No. 09/488,298

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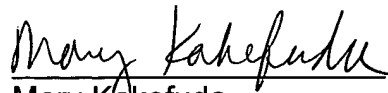
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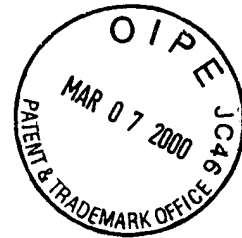


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- Information Disclosure Statement (original, plus 1 copy);
- PTO Form 1449 (1 sheet);
- References AA-AE and BA-BF; and
- Acknowledgement Post Card.